



Severe Weather Awareness Week
March 10-16, 2002

2001 Severe Weather Statistics

(From The National Weather Service)

- ? ?Twelve tornadoes struck in North Carolina last year. Ten tornadoes were classified as F-0 on the Fujita Scale and two were classified as F-1. Six injuries were recorded from these tornadoes.
- ? ?F-0 tornadoes were reported in Bertie, Brunswick, Carteret, Dare, Pender, Robeson, Union, Vance, Wake and Warren counties.
- ? ?F-1 tornadoes were reported in Carteret and Hertford counties. Each injured three people.
- ? ?Lightning injured four people. They were in Johnston (2), Moore (1), and Surry (1) counties.
- ? ?Thunderstorm winds injured three people in Cumberland County.